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**PATENT**  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 07704.0001-00000

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

**Luigi FORLAI**

Application No.: 09/609,142

Filed: June 30, 2000

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
GENERATING A SALE OFFER  
OVER AN ELECTRONIC  
NETWORK SYSTEM

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Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action dated February 4, 2004, the period for response to which having been extended through July 6, 2004 (July 4<sup>th</sup> being a Sunday and July 5<sup>th</sup> being a holiday), by the attached petition for a two month extension of time and the requisite fee of \$420.00, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 18 of this paper.